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KISMET PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL GROWING NATURE THROUGH SCHOOLS FOR NATURE PROJECT

Kismet Park Primary School is proud to announce it has been successful in receiving funding through the Hume City Council - Schools for Nature Project, made possible through the generous support of Hume City Council and Microsoft, in partnership with the Grassy Plains Network.

The project aims to reconnect young people with the natural environment while helping to protect and restore precious local biodiversity. Through this initiative, Kismet Park Primary School is creating meaningful opportunities for students to learn about and care for their local environment.

Acting Principal Samuel Carlton said "The project would have lasting benefits for both students and the broader community".

"By being part of this project we are helping to connect the students of our school with nature, and conserve precious biodiversity in our neighbourhoods. This also creates meaningful nature-based learning opportunities for our students." Said Sam.

As part of the project, a select group of students participated in the Grassland Field Day in late July, where they enjoyed hands-on learning experiences exploring local grassland ecosystems, native plants and biodiversity. The excursion provided students with valuable opportunities to deepen their understanding of environmental conservation and the importance of protecting Victoria's unique native grasslands.

Funding from the Schools for Nature Project has also supported the establishment of a new grassy wildlife habitat garden at the front of the school. The garden will provide an engaging area where students can observe native plants, participate in environmental learning activities and develop a strong sense of environmental responsibility.

Kismet Park Primary School is committed to fostering environmentally responsible members of the community and is grateful for the support of Hume City Council, Microsoft and the Grassy Plains Network in making this exciting initiative possible.

